

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	10/772,267
		Filing Date	February 6, 2004
		Firm Named Inventor	Shunpei YAMAZAKI
		Art Unit	1763
		Examiner Name	Karla A. Moore
		Attorney Docket Number	740756-2708
Sheet	1	of	1

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials ¹	Cite No. ¹	U.S. Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patent or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Paragraphs or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number - Kind Code ² (if known)			
/KM/		US-2005/0167404 A1	08/04/2005	Yamazaki	
/KM/		US-2001/0027013 A1	10/04/2001	Tsutsui	
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials ¹	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patent or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Paragraphs or Relevant Figures Appear	T ³
		Country Code ⁴ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)				
/KM/		JP-2000-328269	11-28-2000			AB

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials ¹	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ³

Examiner Signature	/Karla Moore/ (09/04/2007)	Date Considered	09/04/2007
--------------------	----------------------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.